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Child Death, Near Death, Stillbirth Commission/Child Protection Accountability Joint Commission Safe Sleeping Practices Subcommittee September 12, 2007

MEETING MINUTES

Attendance	Sue Radecki (DSCYF), Marjorie Hershberger (Chair, A.I. DuPont Hospital), Barbara Akenhead (DPH), Joan Kelley (CDNDSC), and Anne Pedrick (CDNDSC)	
Review of Minutes	<u>DISCUSSION</u> Minutes were approved by those in attendance.	<u>ACTION</u>
Discussion of Safe Sleeping Campaign	The discussion regarding the safe sleeping campaign involved follow up to the campaign. It would be ideal to do a structured interview via telephone with the targeted zip codes. The goal of this interview would be to highlight any positives that were derived from individuals who noticed the campaign.	Anne will contact the DHMIC epidemiologist to verify how long should a
	Possible questions would be: Do you utilize DART? Did you see the ads? Do you have infants? As a result, have you changed your practice in regards to sleep positioning for your infant?	follow up interview be done? And would a U of D
Budget Initiative	Anne discussed her 10,000 increase to the budget for an ongoing safe sleeping media campaign. This request did not make the priority list for FY09. Anne shared that DHMIC is interested in partnering with CDNDSC for distribution of posters. Future campaigns could include highlighting October as national SIDS month by a proclamation by the Governor.	graduate student be available? Marj will email the series of questions to Anne.
Report from OCCL	Sue Radecki distributed a sheet from Patti Quinn. The document was titled Family Child Care and Large Family Child Care Proposed Safe Sleep Rules. These mirror what is in the center regulations.	
National Data Tool	Anne stated that the CDNDSC staff is working with the National MCH Center for Child Death review on the revision of the Child Death review case reporting tool. It is expected that the next version will be released January 2008. The next national conference call is scheduled for	Subcommittee members agreed

	September 22 nd . Delaware will be revising the section on safe sleeping environments.	to submit any suggestions or recommendation s to this section to Anne by 9/21
Next Steps	Dr. Carol Owens needs to be contacted. Anne will have a safe sleeping table display at the Mothers of Pre-Schoolers resale on 9/29/07 at Gauger-Cobbs Middles School.	Marj will be doing this.
Next Meeting	October 24, 2007, 5 p.m. A.I. DuPont Hospital for Children	Marj will reserve a room.

Respectfully submitted by: Anne Pedrick